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Report on International Women's Day Celebrations – 2025

The **International Women's Day Celebrations 2025** were held on **10th March 2025**, from **10:00 a.m. to 11:20 a.m.** at **Andhra Mahila Sabha Arts & Science College for Women, O.U. Campus, Hyderabad**. The **Chief Guest** for the occasion was **Dr. Dansari Anasuya (Seethakka)**, Hon'ble Cabinet Minister for *Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Rural Water Supply, Women and Child Welfare, Government of Telangana*. The **Guest of Honour** was **Smt. Jupaka Subhadra**, Eminent Writer, Poetess, and Columnist. The event carried a powerful message of **"Empowering Women through Education, Equality, and Leadership"**, inspiring students to pursue their dreams and become changemakers in society.

The programme commenced at **10:00 a.m.** with a warm **welcome address** by **Ms. J. Meghana**, a student of **B.A II Year**, who cordially greeted the dignitaries, faculty members, and students present on the occasion.

This was followed by the **Lighting of the Lamp** and a **Prayer Song** led by **Smt. P. Sarada**, Head of the Department of Mathematics, symbolizing the auspicious beginning of the event.

The gathering was then addressed by **Dr. K. Karuna Devi**, Principal (I/c), who highlighted the importance of women's education and empowerment in today's society. She appreciated the efforts of the Women's Cell and encouraged students to be confident and self-reliant.

Following her, **Dr. P. Rajani**, Hon'ble Secretary & Correspondent of Andhra Mahila Sabha, delivered an inspiring message emphasizing the vision and mission of the institution in nurturing women leaders for the future.

Sri D. Chakrapani, IAS (Retd.), Hon'ble Chairman, addressed the audience and shared valuable insights on women's role in governance, leadership, and social change.

The event then featured a **Keynote Address** by **Smt. Jupaka Subhadra**, an eminent writer, poetess, and columnist. Her thought-provoking speech celebrated the spirit of womanhood and the power of women's voices in literature and society.

The highlight of the day was the **address by the Chief Guest, Dr. Dansari Anasuya (Seethakka)**, Hon'ble Cabinet Minister for **Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Rural Water Supply, and Women and Child Welfare, Government of Telangana**. Dr. Seethakka delivered a powerful and inspiring message encouraging young women to pursue their dreams fearlessly and to contribute actively to social and economic development. Her speech was met with great applause and admiration from all attendees.

Later, **Ms. Ch. Sai Dhanya**, a **B.A III Year** student, shared her thoughts through a brief yet impactful speech, followed by a soulful **Telugu poem** recited by **Dr. M. Aliveni**, Head of the Department of Telugu, celebrating women's achievements and resilience.

The programme concluded with a heartfelt **Vote of Thanks** proposed by **Ms. Meghana**, a student of **BBA III Year**, who expressed gratitude to the dignitaries, faculty members, and students for making the event a grand success.

The celebration was a true reflection of unity, inspiration, and empowerment, leaving a lasting impression on everyone present.



